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RCE/1645 #



REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. § 132, effective on May 29, 2000, provided for continued examination of a utility or plant application filed on or after June 8, 1995.
See The American Inventors Protection Act of 1999 (AIPA).

Application Number	09/892,612
Filing Date	June 28, 2001
First Named Inventor	Jean-Francois Bouquet
Group Art Unit	1645
Examiner Name	Zeman, Robert A.
Attorney Docket Number	574313-3201 (formerly P06152US01/BAS)

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.
Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 CFR 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8, 1995, or to any design application. See Instruction Sheet for RCEs (not to be submitted to the USPTO) on page 2.

1. Submission required under CFR 1.114.

- a. ☒ Previously submitted
- i. ☒ Please enter the amendment(s)/reply under 37 CFR 1.116 previously filed on August 13, 2003
(Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered)
- ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on ____
- iii. ☐ Other _____
- b. ☐ Enclosed
- i. ☐ Amendment/Reply
- ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
- iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
- iv. ☐ Other _____

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2. Miscellaneous

- a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 CFR 1.103(c) for a period of ____ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 CFR 1.17(l) required)
- b. ☐ Other _____

3. Fees

The RCE fee under 37 CFR 1.17(e) is required by 37 CFR 1.114 when the RCE is filed.

- a. ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees, or credit any overpayments, to **Deposit Account No. 50-0320.**
- b. ☐ Check in the amount of **\$770.00** is enclosed.
- c. ☒ Payment by credit card (Form PTO-2038 enclosed) for the following:
- i. ☒ RCE fee required under 37 CFR 1.17(e) (\$770.00)
- ii. ☒ Extension of time fee (37 CFR 1.136 and 1.17) (\$2010.00)
- iii. ☐ Other _____

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT REQUIRED

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Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.17(a)(5), Applicants request a five-month extension of time, from December 15, 2003, up to and including May 15, 2004. Enclosed herewith is a Credit Card Payment Form (PTO-2038) in the amount of \$2010.00 in payment of the balance of extension fees therefor.

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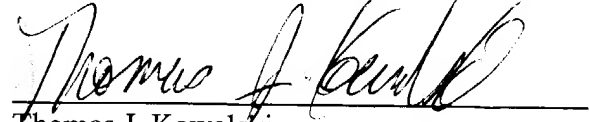
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This Petition is being filed together with a Request for Continued Examination and required fee therefor.

Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account 50-0320.

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